

a revolving fund, to be used by such township in making permanent street, sidewalk, *water lines*, or sewer improvements, and to pay contract prices for permanent street, sidewalk, *water lines*, or sewer improvements, prior to the collection of the cost and expense, or any part thereof, from the property owners adjoining or abutting thereon by such townships under existing laws. Any such revolving fund may also be begun by funds raised by the issuance of bonds of the township, in the manner provided by law, for the making of permanent street, sidewalk, *water lines*, and sewer improvements.

APPROVED—The 19th day of August, A. D. 1953.

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No. 291

AN ACT

To further amend the act, approved the ninth day of April, one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine (Pamphlet Laws 177), entitled "An act providing for and reorganizing the conduct of the executive and administrative work of the Commonwealth by the Executive Department thereof and the administrative departments, boards, commissions, and officers thereof, including the boards of trustees of State Normal Schools, or Teachers Colleges; abolishing, creating, reorganizing or authorizing the reorganization of certain administrative departments, boards, and commissions; defining the powers and duties of the Governor and other executive and administrative officers, and of the several administrative departments, boards, commissions, and officers; fixing the salaries of the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, and certain other executive and administrative officers; providing for the appointment of certain administrative officers, and of all deputies and other assistants and employes in certain departments, boards, and commissions; and prescribing the manner in which the number and compensation of the deputies and all other assistants and employes of certain departments, boards and commissions shall be determined," by abolishing the Fort Washington Park Commission and transferring its powers and duties to the Department of Forests and Waters.

"The Administrative Code of 1929."

So much of section 202 as relates to Department of Forests and Waters, of act of April 9, 1929, P. L. 177, as last amended by act of May 23, 1949, P. L. 1695, further amended.

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows:

Section 1. So much of section 202 as relates to the Department of Forests and Waters of the act, approved the ninth day of April, one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine (Pamphlet Laws 177), entitled "An act providing for and reorganizing the conduct of the executive and administrative work of the Commonwealth by the Executive Department thereof and the administrative departments, boards, commissions, and officers thereof, including the boards of trustees of State Normal Schools, or Teachers Colleges; abolishing, creating, reor-

ganizing or authorizing the reorganization of certain administrative departments, boards, and commissions; defining the powers and duties of the Governor and other executive and administrative officers, and of the several administrative departments, boards, commissions, and officers; fixing the salaries of the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, and certain other executive and administrative officers; providing for the appointment of certain administrative officers, and of all deputies and other assistants and employes in certain departments, boards, and commissions; and prescribing the manner in which the number and compensation of the deputies and all other assistants and employes of certain departments, boards and commissions shall be determined," as last amended by the act, approved the twenty-third day of May, one thousand nine hundred forty-nine (Pamphlet Laws 1695), is hereby further amended to read as follows:

Section 202. Departmental Administrative Boards, Commissions, and Offices.—The following boards, commissions, and offices are hereby placed and made departmental administrative boards, commissions, or offices, as the case may be, in the respective administrative departments mentioned in the preceding section, as follows:

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In the Department of Forests and Waters,
 Water and Power Resources Board,
 Geographic Board,
 Pennsylvania State Park and Harbor Commission
 of Erie,
 Washington Crossing Park Commission,
 Valley Forge Park Commission,
 [Fort Washington Park Commission,]
 Bushy Run Battlefield Commission;

Section 2. Section 437 of said act is hereby repealed.

Section 437, said act, repealed.

Section 3. Subsection (a) of section 1806 of said act, as last amended by the act, approved the twenty-first day of June, one thousand nine hundred thirty-seven (Pamphlet Laws 1865), is hereby further amended to read as follows:

Subsection (a) of section 1806, said act, as last amended by act of June 21, 1937, P. L. 1865, further amended.

Section 1806. Parks.—The Department of Forests and Waters shall have the power, and its duty shall be:

(a) To supervise, maintain, improve, regulate, police, and preserve, all parks belonging to the Commonwealth, except the Pennsylvania State Park at Erie, Washington Crossing Park and Valley Forge Park [, and Fort Washington Park];

Section 4. Section 1814 of said act is hereby repealed.

Section 1814, said act, repealed.

APPROVED—The 19th day of August, A. D. 1953.

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